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EXPORT TRADE BY COUNTRY

The Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce announced today that the slight decrease in United States exports of domestic and foreign merchandise (unadjusted for seasonal variation) from \$1,972.5 million in May to \$1,970.4 million in June¹ reflected decreases in exports to Western Europe and Canada which were largely offset by the increases in exports to Latin American Republics and "all other countries". Changes in the dollar values of exports to these areas during the period were as follows: Western Europe, from \$692.5 to \$670.7 million; Canada, from \$409.1 to \$402.0 million; Latin American Republics, from \$290.9 to \$299.7 million; and "all other countries", from \$279.9 to \$298.0 million. These totals include data on exports of Special Category commodities which decreased from \$226.9 to \$215.5 million.

With Special Category commodities excluded, exports of domestic and foreign merchandise climbed from \$1,745.6 million in May to \$1,754.8 million in June. Increases were reported in exports to sterling area countries and Latin American Republics, from \$285.9 to \$302.4 million and from \$283.4 to \$291.9 million, respectively, but exports to the O.E.C.D. countries in Europe dropped from \$544.1 to \$527.0 million. Increases were reported in exports to all continents except North America and Europe.

¹See the June 1962 issue of Report No. FT 900-E for seasonally-adjusted figures on total exports, excluding Military Assistance Program-Grant-Aid shipments. Seasonally-adjusted data are not available for total exports including Military Assistance Program-Grant-Aid shipments or by country of destination.

Exports to North America fell from \$514.5 million in May to \$505.3 million in June reflecting decreases in exports from Canada, from \$379.6 to \$370.3 million; and Mexico, from \$74.8 to \$69.0 million. Exports to Europe decreased from \$581.0 million to \$573.7 million owing chiefly to decreases in exports to many of the individual countries of this continent. The more notable of these decreases were in exports to France, from \$59.9 to \$50.3 million; United Kingdom, from \$84.3 to \$77.8 million; West Germany, from \$101.1 to \$95.3 million; Spain, from \$20.7 to \$16.8 million; and Turkey, from \$26.4 to \$24.2 million. However, sizable increases were reported in exports to Italy, from \$60.7 to \$72.3 million and Yugoslavia, from \$12.6 to \$22.5 million.

The rise in exports to South America was accounted for by the increase in exports to Argentina, from \$32.6 to \$37.8 million; and Venezuela, from \$37.4 to \$41.1 million. Exports to Africa increased from \$79.7 to \$88.7 million owing chiefly to higher levels of exports to the Republic of South Africa, from \$15.1 to \$22.2 million and Republic of the Congo, from \$2.6 to \$6.6 million. Exports to Asia rose from \$352.8 million in May to \$359.8 million in June. The change reflected increases in exports to Pakistan, from \$23.5 to \$31.9 million; India, from \$60.8 to \$68.2 million; Republic of Indonesia, from \$8.7 to \$11.2 million; and Thailand (Siam), from \$4.9 to \$7.3 million which were partly offset by the decreases in exports to Viet-Nam, from \$13.1 to \$7.3 million; and Saudi Arabia, from \$11.0 to \$5.3 million. Exports to Australia and Oceania increased slightly from \$41.6 to \$41.9 million.

EXPLANATION OF STATISTICS

COVERAGE: Export statistics include government as well as nongovernment shipments to foreign countries. The export statistics, therefore, include Department of Defense Military Assistance Program-Grant-Aid shipments (for which separate figures are shown in the footnotes of this report), Mutual Security Program economic assistance shipments, and shipments of agricultural commodities under P.L. 480 (The Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954, as amended) and related laws. (The separate information which is available on exports under P.L. 480 and related laws may be obtained from the Economic Research Service and the Foreign Agricultural Service of the Department of Agriculture.) Shipments to United States armed forces and diplomatic missions abroad for their own use are excluded from export statistics. United States trade with Puerto Rico and United States possessions is not included in this report, but the export trade of Puerto Rico with foreign countries is included as part of the United States export trade. Merchandise shipped in transit through the United States between foreign countries, not entered as imports, is not included in export statistics.

COUNTRY DEFINITION: Although the country of destination is defined as the country of ultimate destination or the country where the goods are to be consumed, or further processed or manufactured, the statistics do not always reflect this definition, as the shipper may not know the ultimate destination of the shipment. In such cases, the shipments are credited to the last country, as known to the exporter at the time of shipment from the United States, to which the goods are to be shipped in their present form. It follows, therefore, that the statistics will tend to be overcounted for shipments to transshipment or merchanting countries and undercounted for other countries. As explained in the footnotes to the table, exports of Special Category commodities are not included in any of the published country totals, for reasons of security.

VALUATION: The valuation definition used in the export statistics is the value at the export, border point, or airport of exportation. It is based on the selling price (or cost if not sold) and includes inland freight, insurance, and other charges to the point of exportation. Transportation and other costs beyond the United States port of exportation are excluded. None of the values have been adjusted for changes in price level.

RELIABILITY: The statistics presented in this report are based partly on sample data and therefore are subject to sampling variation that may cause them to differ somewhat from the results which would have been obtained from processing all export documents. For the figures shown in this report, the sampling variability can be ignored since the probable variability due to sampling is either less than \$50,000 (the largest variation from rounding of figures) or less than a trivial percentage of the individual totals shown.

In addition to the effects of sampling variation and the difficulties described above under COUNTRY DEFINITION, the data in this report are subject to errors from such sources as the carry-over of data from month to month, errors in reporting or processing, the estimation of shipments valued under \$100, and the omission of parcel post shipments valued under \$50. Although the effect of such errors on the rounded totals in this report is probably small, the possibility of inaccuracy should be taken into account, particularly in using figures of relatively small magnitude.

Further information regarding coverage, valuation, compilation procedures and precisions of export data is contained in the foreword of Reports No. FT 410 and FT 420. For complete statement, see foreword in Foreign Commerce and Navigation of the United States.

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UNITED STATES EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION:
JUNE 1962 AND SELECTED PERIODS

(In millions of dollars. N.e.c. indicates not elsewhere classified. Figures for 1962 are as originally issued and have not been revised to include published corrections. Figures for 1961 include revisions published with the December 1961 reports, or earlier, but do not include revisions published during 1962. Totals represent sum of unrounded figures, hence may vary slightly from sum of rounded amounts)

Continent and country ¹	June 1962	May 1962	June 1961	Monthly average 1961
Total trade including Special Categories ²	³ 1,970.4	⁴ 1,972.5	⁵ 1,699.4	⁶ 1,739.5
Western Europe.....	670.7	692.5	590.7	600.2
Canada.....	402.0	409.1	341.1	314.5
Latin American Republics.....	299.7	290.9	268.8	291.2
All other countries.....	598.0	579.9	498.8	533.6
Total Special Categories ²	215.5	226.9	133.6	147.4
Type 1.....	35.4	34.1	28.1	25.2
Type 2.....	180.1	192.7	105.5	122.2
Net total excluding Special Categories ²	1,754.8	1,745.6	1,565.9	1,592.1
O.E.C.D. countries in Europe.....	527.0	544.1	499.6	506.8
Latin American Republics.....	291.9	283.4	261.3	281.7
Sterling area countries.....	302.4	285.9	213.1	260.4
North America.....	505.3	514.5	444.4	425.0
Greenland.....	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Canada (including Newfoundland and Labrador).....	370.3	379.6	330.3	303.6
Miquelon and St. Pierre Islands.....	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Mexico ^a	69.0	74.8	62.9	66.4
Guatemala ^a	5.7	5.2	4.0	5.0
British Honduras ^b	0.6	0.9	0.4	0.6
El Salvador ^c	3.9	4.9	3.0	2.9
Honduras ^a	4.0	4.8	2.5	3.0
Nicaragua.....	4.7	2.8	2.3	2.7
Costa Rica.....	4.5	3.3	3.0	3.5
Republic of Panama ^a	8.2	8.8	7.7	8.9
Canal Zone.....	1.9	2.0	1.4	1.5
Bermuda ^b	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.7
Bahamas ^b	4.8	3.8	3.6	4.3
Cuba ^a	(*)	(*)	0.5	1.1
Jamaica ^b	4.5	4.5	3.9	4.0
Haiti ^a	2.8	1.7	2.4	2.2
Dominican Republic ^a	6.1	5.6	2.4	2.4
Leeward and Windward Islands ^b	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Barbados ^b	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.5
Trinidad and Tobago ^b	3.0	3.0	4.1	2.9
Netherlands Antilles.....	7.2	6.2	6.0	5.6
French West Indies.....	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
South America.....	185.4	176.0	173.3	185.8
Colombia ^a	22.2	21.9	20.5	20.4
Venezuela ^a	41.1	37.4	37.7	42.5
British Guiana ^b	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.0
Surinam.....	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.3
French Guiana.....	(*)	0.1	(*)	(*)
Ecuador ^a	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1
Peru ^a	15.8	15.3	15.5	14.4
Bolivia ^a	2.5	3.4	1.8	2.2
Chile ^a	12.3	12.3	14.6	18.9
Brazil ^a	42.9	42.0	42.0	40.5
Paraguay ^a	0.5	0.4	0.6	1.0
Uruguay ^a	3.6	3.6	2.9	4.0
Argentina ^a	37.8	32.6	31.1	35.3
Falkland Islands ^b.....	...	...	...	(*)
Europe.....	573.7	581.0	531.5	536.7
Iceland ^{b, c, d}	0.8	1.5	0.7	1.1
Sweden ^{c, d}	18.5	18.9	20.4	21.6
Norway ^{c, d}	8.2	8.7	7.0	7.6

See footnotes at end of table.

UNITED STATES EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION:
JUNE 1962 AND SELECTED PERIODS—Continued

Continent and country ¹	June 1962	May 1962	June 1961	Monthly average 1961
Europe—Continued				
Denmark ^{c,d}	10.5	12.3	6.2	9.2
United Kingdom ^{b,c,d}	77.8	84.3	73.8	94.2
Ireland (Eire) ^{b,c,d}	2.7	3.8	3.4	3.8
Netherlands ^{c,d}	68.9	68.4	67.0	58.1
Belgium and Luxembourg ^{c,d}	38.4	37.9	30.9	35.0
France ^{c,d}	50.3	59.9	47.0	47.1
West Germany ^{c,d}	95.3	101.1	86.3	89.6
East Germany.....	0.1	0.7	(*)	0.2
Austria ^{c,d}	6.8	6.4	3.9	4.9
Czechoslovakia.....	0.4	1.7	0.7	0.6
Hungary.....	0.1	(*)	(*)	0.1
Switzerland ^{c,d}	23.9	21.0	20.8	22.6
Finland ^c	4.7	5.3	4.6	4.7
Estonia.....	...	...	...	...
Latvia.....	...	0.3	...	0.2
Lithuania.....	...	...	...	...
Poland and Danzig.....	13.8	10.2	2.5	6.2
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.....	2.8	4.3	9.9	3.6
Azores.....	0.4	(*)	0.1	0.1
Spain ^{c,d}	16.8	20.7	42.8	22.5
Portugal ^{c,d}	4.6	4.4	6.0	4.7
Gibraltar ^b	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.6
Malta and Gozo ^{7, b}	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.6
Italy ^{c,d}	72.3	60.7	66.3	66.2
Free Territory of Trieste ^{c,d}	(*)	0.1	0.2	0.3
Yugoslavia ^c	22.5	12.6	13.2	12.8
Albania.....	...	...	...	...
Greece ^{c,d}	7.0	7.4	5.3	6.5
Rumania.....	(*)	0.2	0.1	0.1
Bulgaria.....	...	(*)	...	(*)
Turkey ^{c,d}	24.2	26.4	11.6	11.8
Cyprus ^{7, b}	1.2	1.2	...	...
Unidentified Countries in Western Europe ^{b, c,d}.....	...	(*)	(*)	(*)
Asia.....	359.8	352.8	336.3	342.3
Syrian Arab Republic ⁹	1.7	2.2	2.4	2.2
Lebanon.....	2.7	3.8	2.9	3.8
Iraq (Mesopotamia).....	2.3	3.0	3.4	3.1
Iran (Persia).....	6.6	8.8	6.6	7.7
Israel.....	15.9	14.7	15.8	12.2
Palestine.....	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Jordan ^b	0.5	2.2	1.0	2.0
Kuwait ^b	4.3	4.0	4.8	4.7
Saudi Arabia.....	5.3	11.0	4.6	4.6
Arabia Peninsula States, n.e.c.....	1.8	0.8	0.9	1.5
Aden ^b	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3
State of Bahrain ^b	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8
Afghanistan.....	0.7	0.3	1.9	1.5
India ^b	68.2	60.8	36.5	40.2
Pakistan ^b	31.9	23.5	12.3	16.3
Nepal.....	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Ceylon ^b	0.4	1.6	0.6	1.2
Burma ^b	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.6
Thailand (Siam).....	7.3	4.9	5.0	5.2
Viet-Nam.....	7.3	13.1	4.9	5.6
Laos.....	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Cambodia.....	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.9
Federation of Malaya ^b	2.8	2.7	2.8	1.9
State of Singapore; British Borneo ^b	5.4	4.4	3.8	3.9
Republic of Indonesia.....	11.2	8.7	6.7	11.2
Republic of the Philippines.....	22.8	22.5	34.3	27.7
Macao (Macau).....	(*)	(*)	0.1	0.1
Portuguese Asia, n.e.c.....	(*)	(*)	0.2	0.3
Southern and Southeastern Asia, n.e.c.....	(*)	0.1	(*)	(*)
China (including Manchuria).....	(*)	...	(*)	(*)

See footnotes at end of table.



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Continent and country ¹	June 1962	May 1962	June 1961	Monthly average 1961
Asia—Continued				
Outer Mongolia.....	...	...	...	...
North Korea.....	...	(*)	...	...
Republic of Korea.....	18.7	17.6	9.6	13.5
Hong Kong ^b	9.5	10.0	8.3	10.7
Taiwan (Formosa).....	10.4	11.2	8.5	11.3
Japan.....	117.4	116.8	154.3	144.9
Nansei and Nanpo Islands, n.e.c.....	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.0
Australia and Oceania.....	41.9	41.6	26.3	33.4
Australia ^b	35.1	35.0	19.4	26.5
New Guinea ^b	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
New Zealand and Western Samoa ^{10,b}	5.6	5.3	5.7	5.7
British Western Pacific Islands ^b	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
French Pacific Islands.....	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7
Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.....	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
Africa.....	88.7	79.7	54.1	68.9
Morocco.....	4.3	5.4	7.9	5.5
Algeria.....	1.8	3.6	2.1	3.5
Tunisia.....	1.8	3.7	2.1	3.3
Libya ^b	6.7	3.2	1.9	2.5
United Arab Republic (Egypt).....	22.4	23.9	8.5	13.5
Sudan.....	0.8	1.1	0.4	1.0
Canary Islands.....	1.1	0.7	1.5	1.0
Spanish Africa, n.e.c.....	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.4
Federal Republic of Cameroon ¹¹	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Western Equatorial Africa, n.e.c.....	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6
Western Africa, n.e.c.....	3.5	3.3	1.1	1.7
Ghana ^b	1.7	2.6	1.1	1.8
Nigeria, Federation of Nigeria ^{12,b}	1.9	2.4	1.7	2.2
British West Africa and Sierra Leone ^{13,b}	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3
Madeira Islands.....	0.2	(*)	(*)	0.1
Angola.....	1.2	0.4	0.9	0.8
Western Portuguese Africa, n.e.c.....	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Liberia.....	6.0	5.7	2.5	4.1
Republic of the Congo.....	6.6	2.6	3.9	2.5
Somali Republic.....	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Ethiopia (Abyssinia).....	0.8	0.9	0.5	0.9
French Somaliland.....	0.1	0.1	(*)	0.1
Seychelles and Dependencies ^b.....	...	...	(*)	(*)
Mauritius and Dependencies ^b	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
British East Africa and Tanganyika ^{14,b}	1.7	1.7	0.8	1.6
Mozambique.....	0.7	0.4	0.6	0.8
Malagasy Republic.....	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2
Republic of South Africa ¹⁵	22.2	15.1	13.9	19.0
Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland ^b	1.3	0.9	0.9	1.1

¹Latin American Republics. ²Sterling area countries. ³Western Europe. ⁴O.E.C.D. (Organization for European Economic Co-operation and Development) countries in Europe. ⁵Indicates less than \$50,000. ⁶For definitions of countries as used in this report, refer to current edition of Schedule C, Classification of Country Designations Used in Compiling the United States Foreign Trade Statistics. ⁷Country detail is not reported in the export statistics for Special Category commodities for security reasons. For certain areas, export totals include Special Categories, as shown at the beginning of the table. Export figures for other areas and countries represent total exports less exports of Special Category commodities. See the January 1961 issue of Report No. FT 410 for a list of Special Category commodities. ⁸Includes \$76.3 million of Department of Defense Military Assistance Program—Grant-Aid shipments (\$36.9 million to Western Europe). ⁹Includes \$80.1 million of Department of Defense Military Assistance Program—Grant-Aid shipments (\$40.6 million to Western Europe). ¹⁰Includes \$55.1 million of Department of Defense Military Assistance Program—Grant-Aid shipments (\$20.0 million to Western Europe). ¹¹Includes \$67.5 million of Department of Defense Military Assistance Program—Grant-Aid shipments (\$27.5 million to Western Europe). ¹²Malta and Gozo and "Cyprus" shown separately beginning January 1962. For periods prior to January 1962, data on exports to "Cyprus" are included in the figures shown for "Malta and Gozo." ¹³As explained in the April 1958 issue of Foreign Trade Statistics Notes, this is an arbitrary category established with April 1958 statistics to cover certain shipments to unidentified countries in Western Europe. ¹⁴Country designation established effective January 1962. Formerly United Arab Republic (Syria Region). ¹⁵Country designation established effective January 1962. Formerly New Zealand. ¹⁶Country designation established effective January 1962. Formerly Union of South Africa. ¹⁷Country designation established effective January 1962. Formerly British East Africa. ¹⁸Country designation established effective January 1962. Formerly British West Africa, n.e.c. ¹⁹Country designation established effective January 1962. Formerly British East Africa. ²⁰Country designation established effective January 1962. Formerly Union of South Africa.